



# NSWIPP

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## JULY 2014 NEWSLETTER

Editor: Anne-Marie Swan

### Calendar of Meetings:

#### Monday 21 July 2014

\*\*ATAB MEETING – 7:45pm, Glebe

#### Friday 1 August 2014

MAB MEETING – 10:30am (phone)

#### Friday 1 August 2014

EC MEETING – 3:45pm, Glebe

#### Monday 11 August 2014

EGM – 7:30pm, Glebe

#### Monday 1 September 2014

\*\*ATAB MEETING – 7:45pm, Glebe

#### Monday 15 September 2014

AGM – 7:30pm, Glebe

\*Events marked with an asterisk are open to trainees provided there are no boundary issues.

\*\*ATAB meetings are normally held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month. If you would like to attend, please contact Jan on (02) 9558 3175.

### Future Events:

#### Saturday 26 July 2014

WEBSITE LAUNCH – 4 – 6pm, Glebe

#### Friday-Sunday 10-12 October 2014

DADIRRI WEEKEND AT ST ALBANS

#### Saturday 25 October 2014

ISLA LONIE LECTURE

2:30-4:30pm, Glebe

#### Open Peer Group Meeting

There is no Open Peer Group (OPG) meeting in July.

#### Inreach Meeting

There is no Inreach meeting in July.

### Please note the following fixed dates:

1<sup>st</sup> Monday-Open Monday

2<sup>nd</sup> Monday-Open Peer Group

3<sup>rd</sup> Monday- ATAB Meeting

4<sup>th</sup> Monday-Inreach Meeting

5<sup>th</sup> Monday-Open Monday

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## From Your President To You

Dear All,

### 1. Executive Minutes & Communication with Members

We had our last Executive Meeting on Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> June and a number of important matters were discussed which I will attempt to summarise. Please note, however, that the Minutes are available on the Website in the Members section. I would encourage you all to take note of the date of the next Executive meeting Friday August 1<sup>st</sup> and contact any one of the Executive, Jan or Lyndall with matters you would like discussed.

### 2. Sad news of Jan leaving us

It is with sadness and regret on both sides that we have accepted Jan's resignation as Administrative Assistant to NSWIPP. Jan is currently on four weeks' leave in Canada to be with her mother whose health has unfortunately deteriorated and she is planning on moving back to Canada at the end of August to be closer to her. We are very sad to lose Jan but also very grateful for the outstanding service she has given to us which has been well beyond the call of duty. We wish her all the very best for what will undoubtedly be a difficult but important time for her.

### 3. Welcome to Lyndall Rees-

We are fortunate in having Lyndall Rees join us in Jan's place. She and Jan are sharing some tasks at the moment and Lyndall will formally take over when Jan leaves at the end of August. Lyndall will take a larger role in assisting with Training, the administrative demands of which have grown greater over time. We currently have a total of 14 trainees over two intakes which is very pleasing for the future of the Institute but also carries a substantial administrative burden well in excess of what can reasonably be expected of a Training Committee no matter how generous and willing! Lyndall has a strong background as the

Programme Manager for the RANZCP Advanced Training in Psychotherapy programme and The Psychotherapy Education Association (TPEA) which administers it and comes very highly recommended. We are delighted that she has been able to join us.

Currently Lyndall can be contacted on 0406-975434 (Mobile) or [lyndallrees@bigpond.com](mailto:lyndallrees@bigpond.com) (Email) mainly with regard to training matters.

- 4. Babies Needed!!!-** Trainees are in need of babies for Infant Observation groups. Please let Lyndall know if you are aware of someone who might be willing to have a trainee in the home for an observation. This is usually a mutually enjoyable experience for all concerned. Ideally trainees would be looking for a woman close to giving birth.
- 5. New Website-** It is with great excitement that our new Website went live on the 4<sup>th</sup> of June this year. We all owe a great debt of gratitude to Dorothy Francis who has suffered the birth pangs and who can certainly claim the baby!

The Website will only be as good as its users from now on, however, and it is most important that people log on and use it as a central means of connection, communication, identification and belonging. It has many possibilities and it is, like our training programme, hope for our future as an Institute. Please note there is a Members Forum and a separate Trainees Forum for interactive discussion and comment. This is a space for us all to use. The Web address is [www.nswipp.org](http://www.nswipp.org)

We will be having a **Website launch on Saturday July 26 at Glebe at 4.00pm.** This will be a social event with wine, live music and tapas and will provide an opportunity for you to familiarise yourself with the website and offer your

feedback. Please RSVP to Lyndall as soon as possible.

- 6. Purchase of the Premises-** This is the most significant issue facing us as an institute currently and is intrinsically linked to our future. I would urge you all to think very carefully about the implications and to enter into discussions in an open and reflective manner that parallels our work. An EGM will be held on 11<sup>th</sup> August, to further discuss this and to make a decision in principle about whether to purchase the building. In preparation for this meeting a separate communication outlining rationale, viability and the case for and against purchase by the Institute will be sent to Members to allow time for reflective thought so that the meeting itself will be an informed one and Members who wish to vote by proxy can do so with sufficient information at their disposal and the opportunity to raise questions beforehand.

This is an important issue and one that should not be acted upon in haste and without due thought and diligence.

- 7. Weekend Away-** Please keep the weekend of 10-12 October free for a Dadirri Weekend. I would hope as many as possible would attend this. It is intended to have a weekend like this every few years to review our goals and purpose as a group.

We intend to have as the main theme a continuation of the discussion begun on 23<sup>rd</sup> June and facilitated by Gill Straker of *What is Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy?* We also plan to have a good time together with a film, a good dinner and some enjoyable activities. The venue will accommodate only about 14 in total in 6 shared bedrooms but there is good and varied accommodation nearby in either St Alban's or Wiseman's Ferry at a reasonable cost with plenty of space for us to meet at the main

Conference venue. There is also provision for camping which can be arranged for the hardy!

Conference venue: Yanada, a Buddhist Retreat Centre at St. Alban's near Wiseman's Ferry.

Website is [www.yanada.com.au](http://www.yanada.com.au)

- 8. Seminar by Dr Anne Douglas-**



An excellent seminar was presented on Saturday, 28<sup>th</sup> June, by Dr Anne Douglas, OBE, on Transference and Countertransference when working with Survivors of Torture. This was a most informative and also moving Seminar and was well attended by 26 attendees from a variety of backgrounds. We are again grateful to Dorothy Francis for organising this as Anne is her sister. Anne spoke very eloquently about her 14 years of experience with the Compass programme which she set up for the treatment of Asylum Seekers in Glasgow and of which she is the Director. She has 30 years of experience as a psychoanalytic psychotherapist working in the field of trauma and we were very fortunate in having her speak to us and on our behalf to others. Thanks are also due to the RANZCP for their generous offer of Maddison House to accommodate the larger than usual number of attendees and to the In-reach Committee for the excellent catering.

- 9. Winn Clinic-**

At the last EC Meeting it was decided to collaborate with SIP and ICAPP in the online referral system being set up by SIP. This will be launched by Louise Hird, of SIP on the opening night of the APAS Conference Open Days at the RAC Victoria Room at 6.30p.m. The Clinic is an online service offering an initial two

consultations by a senior analyst to establish what the patient is seeking/needing with a follow-up referral for assessment by a psychoanalyst or psychoanalytic psychotherapist. There is also a potential for low-cost treatment by trainees.

Members or trainees wishing to put themselves on the referral list should contact Jan in the first instance who will establish a list. You are of course also free to make direct contact with Louise Hird via the Website, her email address or by phone.

I have expressed our gratitude to Louise for extending this invitation to us and making it possible.

Winn Clinic <http://www.thewinnclinic.net/>

Email: [louisehird@bigpond.com](mailto:louisehird@bigpond.com)

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Warm regards to you all.

Thank you for your continued support.

Anne-Marie

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## Welcome to New Affiliates

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NSWIPP warmly welcomes the following new Affiliates:

### Dianna Kenny

**Dianna T. Kenny**, PhD, MA (Sch Couns) BA (Hons) ATCL (Piano) DipEd MAPsS MAPA is Professor of Psychology at the University of Sydney, Australia. She is the author of over 200 publications, including six books, the most recent of which are *Young Offenders on Community Orders: Health, Welfare and Criminogenic Needs* (Sydney University Press, 2008) (with Paul Nelson), *The Psychology of Music Performance Anxiety* (Oxford University Press, 2011), *Bringing up Baby: The Psychoanalytic Infant*

*Comes of Age* (Karnac, 2013), and *From Id to Intersubjectivity: Talking about the Talking Cure with Master Clinicians* (Karnac, 2014). Her forthcoming book with Routledge *God, Freud and Religion* will be published in September (2014). Dianna maintains a small private practice that includes therapy and supervision in attachment-informed psychotherapy and expert reports to various organisations (e.g., HCCC, VGSO, JIRT).

### Tim Johnson-Newell

Tim Johnson-Newell has had a varied career but for the last 30 years has been working as an individual and group therapist and consultant to organisations. He has research interests in masculinity and the military and the regulation / accreditation / organisation of the profession (which he is in the process of turning into a PhD candidature). He is the Immediate Past President of PACFA, a clinical member of AAGP and the Somatic Psychotherapists, a qualified teacher and heavy vehicle mechanic and has degrees from Cambridge, Manchester and Western Sydney.

## WELCOME TO TRAINEES

NSWIPP currently has two trainee groups, each with 7 trainees.

The 2012 trainees began their theoretical seminars in July 2012, while the new 2014 trainees will begin this July.

We warmly welcome and support both groups in their journey.

### 2012 Group

Jill Abeshouse  
Jo Coulthard  
Julie Fletcher  
Maureen Lagan  
Tuan Nguy  
Claire Pattison  
Kate Stewart

### 2014 Group

Lindsay Both  
Judy Dowling  
Robert Eidus  
Eng Ming Lim  
Lachlan McPhail  
Antonio Simonelli  
Ian Thorburn



## ROOMS FOR LEASE/SALE

### **Professional Psychotherapy Consulting Room NEUTRAL BAY For rent**

Attractive consulting room, suitable for psychotherapist with existing practice or wishing to establish a stable practice. A secure long-term lease is available, there is a pleasant, spacious waiting room and all amenities.

The 3-room suite is in the Centre of Neutral Bay, just a few minutes away from the CBD with excellent public transport at the door. It would be shared with two other psychotherapists.

The rent is \$840 per month, and the room is available from 1/07/14.

Contact: J. Lennard on 9904 4330